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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application
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Inventors: SIDNEY *et al.*
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

1. Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) - FY 2008;
2. Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111;
3. Replacement Pages 14, 15, and 44-181 (Tables 5, 6, and 11-29);
4. Copy of Declaration submitted in corresponding International Application PCT/US03/31308, filed October 3, 2003;
5. Credit Card Payment Form (PTO-2038) in the amount of \$1,050.00 to cover a three-month extension of time for large entity; and
6. One (1) return postcard.

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Respectfully submitted,

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